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FOR PATENT OFFICE'S MISTAKE (37 C.F.R. §1.332)

Two typographical errors exist in the above patent. These errors occurred as a result of the Office's mistake and do not introduce new matter which would require reexamination.


In claim 5, the word "FORMAL" appears in the reissued patent (column 14, line 35). In the original patent (U.S. 6,093,236), this term reads "FORMED." In claim 6, the word "PROUD" appears in the reissued patent (column 14, line 38). In the original patent, this term reads "PRESSED." A copy of United States Patent No. 6,093,236 has been attached for your reference.

No amendment was introduced by Applicants during prosecution of the reissue application that would have altered claims 5 and 6 in any manner. Therefore, the typographical errors appearing in the reissue patent arose as a result of the Office's mistake.

Patentee has included herewith, in duplicate, Form PTO-1050, with a copy being suitable for printing. As this error arose from the Patent Office's mistake, no fee is required. However, should the Office determine that an additional fee is required for this Certificate of Correction, such fee may be applied against Deposit Account 19-0522.

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In claim 5, replace the word "formal" with the word "formed."

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